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**\*\*CONTINUING DOMESTIC DATA\*\*\*\*\***  
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None req 2/21/02

**\*\*371 (NAT'L STAGE) DATA\*\*\*\*\***  
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**\*\*FOREIGN APPLICATIONS\*\*\*\*\***  
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Foreign Priority claimed <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no 35 USC 119 (a-d) conditions met <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> Met after Allowance	<b>STATE OR COUNTRY</b> <p style="text-align: center;">CA</p>	<b>SHEETS DRAWING</b> <p style="text-align: center;">4</p>	<b>TOTAL CLAIMS</b> <p style="text-align: center;">21</p>	<b>INDEPENDENT CLAIMS</b> <p style="text-align: center;">3</p>
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**TITLE**

METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING PRIORITY TO A STATION IN A CONGESTED HALF DUPLEX ETHERNET NETWORK

  

<b>FILING FEE RECEIVED</b> <p style="text-align: center;">\$778</p>	<b>FEES:</b> Authority has been given in Paper No. _____ to charge/credit DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. _____ for the following:	<input type="checkbox"/> All Fees <input type="checkbox"/> 1.16 Fees (Filing) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.17 Fees (Processing Ext. of time) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.18 Fees (Issue) <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Credit
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